TORTOISE CAPITAL RESOURCES CORP Form 8-K January 12, 2010

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): January 11, 2010

Tortoise Capital Resources Corporation (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Maryland (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 1-33292 (Commission File Number)

20-3431375 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

11550 Ash Street, Suite 300, Leawood, KS (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

66211 (Zip Code)

(913) 981-1020 (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable (Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item Other Events.

8.01.

On January 11, 2010, Tortoise Capital Resources Corporation announced the characterization of the 2009 distributions paid to stockholders. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

Item Financial Statements and Exhibits.

9.01.

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press Release dated January 11, 2010

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

TORTOISE CAPITAL RESOURCES CORPORATION

Dated: January 12, 2010 By: /s/ Terry Matlack

Terry Matlack Chief Financial Officer

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99.1 Press Release dated January 11, 2010